

accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

### TRADE FAIRNESS

*Committee on Small Business:* Held a hearing on Trade Fairness: How We Can Make Our Trade Laws Work for America's Small Businesses, including discussion of H.R. 3716, to amend title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930 to provide that the provisions relating to countervailing duties apply to nonmarket countries. Testimony was heard from Representatives English and Davis of Alabama; and public witnesses.

### OVERSIGHT—IN-LINE EXPLOSIVE DETECTION SYSTEMS

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Subcommittee on Aviation held an oversight hearing on In-Line Explosive Detection Systems: Financing and Deployment. Testimony was heard from Randy Null, Acting Assistant Administrator, Aviation Operations, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Homeland Security; and public witnesses.

### U.S.-MOROCCO FREE TRADE AGREEMENT IMPLEMENTATION ACT

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Approved the draft implementing proposal on the United States-Morocco Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act.

### GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM—CRITICAL NEED FOR INTERROGATION

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Met in executive session to hold a hearing on The Critical Need for Interrogation in the Global War on Terrorism. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

### Joint Meetings

### COAST GUARD AND MARITIME TRANSPORTATION ACT

*Conferees* agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate and House passed versions of H.R. 2443, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 2004, and to amend various laws administered by the Coast Guard.

### APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

*Conferees* agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate and House passed versions of H.R. 4613, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005.

### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JULY 15, 2004

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

#### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, to hold hearings to examine preventing chronic disease through healthy lifestyles, 9:30 a.m., SD-192.

Full Committee, business meeting to mark up proposed legislation making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and proposed legislation making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, 2 p.m., SD-106.

*Committee on Armed Services:* to receive a closed briefing from the Department of Defense regarding International Committee of the Red Cross reports on U.S. military detainee operations in Iraq, 9:30 a.m., S-407, Capitol.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine regulation of the hedge fund industry, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Stuart Levey, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury for Enforcement, Juan Carlos Zarate, of California, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Terrorist Financing and Financial Crimes, and Carin M. Barth, of Texas, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 2:30 p.m., SD-538.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Communications, to hold hearings to examine implementation of the Nielsen local people meter TV rating system, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on National Parks, to hold hearings to examine S. 1852, to provide financial assistance for the rehabilitation of the Benjamin Franklin National Memorial in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and the development of an exhibit to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin, S. 2142, to authorize appropriations for the New Jersey Coastal Heritage Trail Route, S. 2181, to adjust the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado, S. 2374, to provide for the conveyance of certain land to the United States and to revise the boundary of Chickasaw National Recreation Area, Oklahoma; S. 2397 and H.R. 3706, bills to adjust the boundary of the John Muir National Historic Site, S. 2432, to expand the boundaries of Wilson's Creek Battlefield National Park, S. 2567, to adjust the boundary of Redwood National Park in the State of California, H.R. 1113, to authorize an exchange of land at Fort Frederica National Monument, and S. Con. Res. 121, supporting the goals and ideals of the World Year of Physics, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine a report on the latest round of six-way talks regarding nuclear weapons in North Korea, 9:30 a.m., SD-419.

Subcommittee on International Economic Policy, Export and Trade Promotion, to hold hearings to examine

the Gulf of Guinea and U.S. strategic energy policy, 1 p.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold a closed briefing on Iraq, 3 p.m., S-116, Capitol.

*Committee on Governmental Affairs*: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, to hold hearings to examine current enforcement of key provisions in the Patriot Act combating money laundering and foreign corruption, using a single case study involving Riggs Bank, focusing on Riggs' anti-money laundering program, administration of accounts associated with senior foreign political figures and their family members, and interactions with its primary regulator, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, 9 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions*: Subcommittee on Children and Families, to hold hearings to examine Pell grants for primary education, 10 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on the Judiciary*: business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 2 p.m., SD-226.

*Select Committee on Intelligence*: to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

*Special Committee on Aging*: to hold hearings to examine medical liability in long term care, 2 p.m., SD-628.

### House

*Committee on Appropriations*, Subcommittee on Transportation, Treasury and Independent Agencies, to mark up the Transportation, Treasury and Independent Agencies appropriations for fiscal year 2005, time to be announced, 2358 Rayburn.

*Committee on Armed Services*, hearing on Army Transformation: Implications for the Future, 9 a.m., and to mark up the following resolutions: H. Con. Res. 472, Expressing the sense of Congress that the apprehension, detention, and interrogation of terrorists are fundamental elements in the successful prosecution of the Global War on Terrorism and the protection of the lives of United States citizens at home and abroad; and H. Res. 689, Of inquiry requesting the President and directing certain other Federal officials to transmit to the House of Representatives not later than 14 days after the date of the adoption of this resolution documents in the possession of the President and those officials relating to the treatment of prisoners or detainees in Iraq, Afghanistan, or Guantanamo Bay, 3 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

*Committee on Education and the Workforce*, Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, hearing on H.R. 1329, Recreational Marine Employment Act of 2003, 10:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce*, Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality, hearing entitled "The Status of the U.S. Refining Industry," 11 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services*, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Diversity in the Financial Services Industry and Access to Capital for Minority-Owned Businesses: Challenges and Opportunities," 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations*, to mark up H. Res. 699, Directing the Secretary of State to transmit to the House of Representatives documents in the possession of

the Secretary of State relating to the treatment of prisoners and detainees in Iraq, Afghanistan, and Guantanamo Bay, 3 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Europe, hearing on Transatlantic Relations: A Post-Summit Assessment, 10:15 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property, oversight hearing entitled "Internet Streaming of Radio Broadcasts: Balancing the Interests of Sound Recording Copyright Owners with those of Broadcasters," 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources*, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, oversight hearing entitled "Advances in Technology: Innovations in the Domestic Energy and Mineral Sector," 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health, oversight hearing on Restoring Forests after Catastrophic Events, 11 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 4066, Chickasaw National Recreation Area Land Exchange Act of 2004; H.R. 4469, Angel Island Immigration Station Restoration and Preservation Act; and H.R. 4579, To modify the boundary of the Harry S Truman National Historic Site in the State of Missouri, 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

*Committee on Science*, Subcommittee on Environment, Technology and Standards, hearing on The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Organic Acts, 2 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics, hearing on NASA Prizes, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, Subcommittee on Workforce, Empowerment, and Government Programs and the Subcommittee on Benefits of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, joint hearing entitled "Excellence in Action: Government Support of Disabled Veteran-Owned Business," 2 p.m., 311 Cannon.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 784, Water Quality Investment Act of 2003; H.R. 4470, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Act to extend the authorization of appropriations for the Lake Pontchartrain Basin Restoration Program; H.R. 4688, To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize the Chesapeake Bay Program; H.R. 4731, To amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize the National Estuary Program; and H.R. 4794, To amend the Tijuana River Valley Estuary and Beach Sewage Cleanup Act to extend the authorization of appropriations, 9:30 a.m., followed by an oversight hearing on Louisiana Coastal Area-Addressing Decades of Coastal Erosion, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, Subcommittee on Social Security, to mark up H.R. 2971, Social Security Number Privacy and Identity Theft Prevention Act of 2003, 12:30 p.m., B-318 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Oversight, hearing to Review the IRS Enforcement of the Reporting of Tip Income, 10:15 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, Subcommittee on Human Intelligence, Analysis and Counterintelligence, executive, briefing on Counterintelligence: People's Republic of China, 11 a.m., H-405 Capitol.

### Joint Meetings

*Conference*: meeting of conferees on H.R. 3550, to authorize funds for Federal-aid highways, highway safety programs, and transit programs, 3 p.m., 2167 RHOB.